

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

ANDREAS WEITBRECHT, individually, and as
Assignee of the Claim of BARBARA WEITHBRECHT,
also known as BARBARA NEKVEDAVICIUS,

Plaintiff,

-against-

B&H ASSOCIATES of N.Y. LLC, doing business as
PRUDENTIAL DOUGLAS ELLIMAN REAL ESTATE,
B&H OF THE HAMPTONS LLC, doing business as
PRUDENTIAL DOUGLAS ELLIMAN REAL ESTATE,
DOROTHY HERMAN and LYNDIA IRELAND,

Defendants.

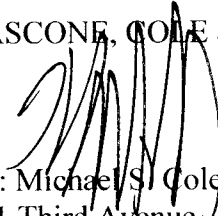
RULE 7.1 STATEMENT

Case No. 08-Civ-01539
(RJS)

Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and to enable judges and magistrate judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Defendant PRUDENTIAL DOUGLAS ELLIMAN REAL ESTATE is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC f/k/a Montauk Battery Realty, LLC, a privately-held limited liability corporation. Vector Group, Ltd. and Prudential Financial Inc. are publicly-traded companies which indirectly own more than 10% of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC's stock.

Dated: March 13, 2008
New York, New York

CASCONE, COLE & COLLYER

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Michael S. Cole', written over the printed name.

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